BEFORE THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE

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)	PSC DOCKET NO.17-0278
)	"NCC032217"
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ORDER NO. 9068

AND NOW, this 20th day of June, 2017, the Delaware Public Service Commission ("Commission") determines and orders the following:

WHEREAS, on April 27, 2017, Artesian Water Company, Inc. ("Artesian") submitted an application ("Application") with the Commission pursuant to 26 Del. C. \$203C(e)(1)b. seeking a Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity ("CPCN") to expand its facilities and operations to provide water service to eighty-nine parcels located in the Bayberry South development in New Castle County, Delaware, and referred to as "NCC032217" (the "Proposed Service Area"); and

WHEREAS, the Commission Staff ("Staff") reviewed the Application to ensure compliance with the statutory provisions of 26 Del. C. §203C and the Commission's Regulations Governing Certificates of Public Convenience and Necessity for Water Utilities, 26 Del. Admin. C. §2002 (the "Regulations"); and

WHEREAS, the submitted application included evidence that Artesian had mailed notice of the application and the options

available to all landowners of record in the Proposed Service Area. In addition, Artesian provided evidence via affidavits of publication to show that it had published notice of its application in two newspapers of general circulation. Staff also notes that it has received no comments regarding Artesian or the Application in response to the published notice; and

WHEREAS, Staff submitted a memorandum to the Commission that confirms the Application meets all of the requirements for granting Artesian a CPCN for water services pursuant to 26 Del. C. \$203C and the Regulations. Accordingly, Staff recommends that the Commission grant the Company a CPCN based on the completed Application;

NOW, THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED BY THE AFFIRMATIVE VOTE OF NO FEWER THAN THREE COMMISSIONERS:

- 1. Pursuant to 26 Del. C. §203C(e)(1)b.4., the Commission hereby grants to Artesian a CPCN to provide water serve to the Proposed Service Area more specifically identified in Exhibit
 "A."
- 2. Artesian shall comply with any and all federal, state, county, and local statutes, ordinances, orders, regulations, rules, and permit conditions that are applicable, or may become applicable, to any matter involving water utility services provided to the service territory granted by this CPCN.

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ARTESIAN WATER COMPANY, INC. PSC DOCKET NO. 17-0278

NEW CASTLE COUNTY TAX MAP PARCEL NUMBERS

1301334100	1301334031	1301334117
1301334148	1301334032	1301334118
1301332013	1301334033	1301334119
1301334010	1301334034	1301334120
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1301334024	1301334048	1301334151
1301334025	1301334049	1301334152
1301334026	1301334112	1301812001
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